

**AMERICAN METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY
2003 SUMMER POLICY COLLOQUIUM
(Preliminary/Working Schedule)
(last updated 5/21/03)**

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THE HAMPTON ROOM
ALL RECEPTIONS AND DINNERS ARE IN
THE GOVERNORS ROOM**

SUNDAY, JUNE 1

5:30 pm-7:00 pm Cocktail Buffet Reception
7:00 pm-9:00 pm *Welcome/Introductions/Colloquium Overview*
Ron McPherson, Executive Director, AMS
Bill Hooke, Director, Atmospheric Policy Program, AMS

MONDAY, JUNE 2

7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast

8:00 am-9:30 am *Policy Fundamentals*
1. Policy Overview
John W. Kingdon, Professor Emeritus, University of
Michigan

9:30 am-10:00 am Break

10:00 am-12:30 pm *Policy Fundamentals (Continued)*
2. The Federal Budget Process
Jack Fellows, Director, UCAR Office of Programs
(OMB Perspective)

Margaret Stewart, Senate Budget Committee Staff
Senior Natural Resources/Energy Analyst/
Agriculture (Congressional Perspective)

- 12:30 pm-1:15 pm Lunch
- 1:30 pm Shuttle Pick-up at (hotel)
- 2:00 pm-3:15 pm Capitol Hill Visit 253 Russell Senate Office Bldg
Perspectives on Climate Change Policy
Floyd DesChamps, Senior Professional Staff
Member, Majority Staff
Margaret Spring, Ocean and Fisheries Senior
Counsel, Minority Staff
(Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and
Transportation)
- 3:30 pm-3:45 pm Break
- 3:45 pm-5:00 pm *Water policy issues*
Patricia Beneke, Senior Counsel, Minority Staff
Committee on Energy and Natural Resources
Catharine Ransom, Minority Professional Staff Member,
Committee on Environment and Public Works
- 5:00 pm Shuttle returns to Omni Shoreham

TUESDAY, JUNE 3

- 7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am-10:00 am *Policy Fundamentals*
3. Personal Perspectives on Executive Leadership
Rita Colwell, Director, National Science Foundation
Paul Gaffney, President, National Defense University
- 10:00 am-10:30 am Break
- 10:30 am-12:30 pm *3. Personal Perspectives on Executive Leadership (Continued)*
James R. Mahoney, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for
Oceans and Atmosphere
Eileen Claussen, President, Pew Climate Center

- 12:30 pm-1:15 pm Lunch
- 1:30 pm Shuttle Pick-up at Omni Shoreham
- 2:00 pm-3:30 pm *Capitol Hill visit (House Science Committee)*
Rayburn 2325
Overview:
David Goldston, Chief of Majority Staff, House Science
Committee
Robert E. Palmer, Minority Staff Director, House Science
Committee
- Eric Webster, Majority Staff Director, Subcommittee on
Environment, Technology, and Standards
Jean Fruci, House Science Committee minority staff
- 3:30 pm-3:45 pm Break
- 3:45 pm-5:30 pm *Congressional Science Fellows:*
Johannes Loschnigg, Office of Senator Joseph Lieberman
Amy Carroll, House Science Subcommittee on Environment,
Technology, and Standards
Kendra Bodnar, Office of Representative Edward Markey
- 5:30 pm Shuttle returns to Omni Shoreham

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4

- 7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am-10:00 am *Policy Fundamentals.*
4. Media/Public Relations: How Things Work in Practice
Mary Hanson, NSF
Andrew Revkin, New York Times
- 10:00 am-10:30 am Break
- 10:30 am-12:30 pm *Policy Fundamentals (Continued)*
4. Media/Public Relations: How Things Work in Practice
Ann Kellan, CNN (invited)
Richard Harris, NPR (invited)
Tom Rosenstiel, Project for Excellence in Journalism
- 12:30 pm-1:30 pm Lunch

- 1:30 pm-3:00 pm *Participant Exercise (first session)*
 Reauthorization of the GCRP. Participants will be asked to review of the Global Change Research and Data Management Act of 2003[H.R.1578.IH] prior to their arrival. Once the Colloquium starts, participants will be assigned to one of three groups. These groups will develop arguments for presentation Friday morning to a three-person panel. More details will be provided separately.
- 3:00 pm-3:30 pm Break
- 3:30 pm-5:00 pm *Participant Exercise (Continued)*
- 6:30 pm-8:30 pm Dinner - followed by special presentation.
(speaker: the Honorable Vernon J. Ehlers, R-Michigan, 3rd district, Chairman, House Science Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards)

THURSDAY, JUNE 5

- 7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am-9:00 am David Bollier, author of *Silent Theft: The Private Plunder of Our Common Wealth*
- 9:00 am-10:00 am *Case Study I. Public Good*
 Roger Pielke, Jr., University of Colorado
- 10:00 am-10:30 am Break
- 10:30 am-12:30 pm *Fair Weather: Effective Partnerships in Weather and Climate Services* John Armstrong, IBM, retired, and others
- 12:30 pm-1:15 pm Lunch
- 1:15 pm-3:00 pm *Policy Fundamentals.*
5. Science Advice to the President
 Kathie L. Olsen, Associate Director for Science, OSTP
- 6. Science Advice to the Secretary of State*
 Norm Neureiter, Science and Technology Advisor to the

Secretary of State

3:00 pm-3:30 pm Break

3:30 pm-5:00 pm *International Policy/Water Issues*
Alan Hecht, Council for Environmental Quality
Aaron Salzberg, Department of State/OES

FRIDAY, JUNE 6

7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast

8:00 am-9:00 am *Participant Exercise (second session).*
The three participant groups will be given approximately one hour to finalize their presentations. They will then make their presentations and receive feedback from a three-person panel.

Panelists: Clark Cohen
Johannes Loschnigg
Ana Unruh

9:00 am-9:30 am Break

9:30 am-12:30 pm *Participant Exercise (Continued)*

12:30 pm-1:15 pm Lunch

1:30 pm-3:00 pm *Domestic/International Water Policy*
Ken Frederick, Resources for the Future
Rolf Olsen, US Army Corps of Engineers

3:00 pm-3:30 pm Break

3:30 pm-5:30 pm *Water Policy (continued)*

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

8:30 am Shuttle Pick-up at Omni Shoreham

9:00 am-10:45 am *Brunch at the Hookes' Home*

11:00 am-2:00 pm *Tour of Mount Vernon*
(Driving directions for those not going on the bus are attached.)

3:00 pm Shuttle Returns to Omni Shoreham

**SATURDAY LATE AFTERNOON THROUGH SUNDAY LATE AFTERNOON
FREE TIME FOR WASHINGTON-AREA ACTIVITIES**

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

5:30 pm-7:00 pm Cocktail Buffet Reception

7:00 pm-8:30 pm *Speaker*

Neal Lane, former Science Advisor to President
William Jefferson Clinton

MONDAY, JUNE 9

7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast

8:00 am-9:30 am *Case Study II Satellite Convergence.*

Molly Macauley, Resources for the Future

9:30 am-9:50 am Break

9:50 am-11:50 am *Case Study II (Continued) Panel*

D. James Baker, President, The Academy of Natural Sciences
Scott Gudes, House Appropriations Committee, Foreign
Operations Subcommittee
Greg Mandt, NWS/NOAA
Sarah Horrigan, OMB
Jeff Payne, NOAA/Coastal Services Center

11:50 am-12:35 pm Lunch

12:40 pm-2:00 pm William Clark, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard
University, *What Have We Learned from 30 Years of Assessments?*

2:00 pm-2:30 pm Break

- 2:30 pm-3:30 pm *Iraq Recovery: Environmental Aspects*
Alan Hecht, Council on Environmental Quality
- 3:30 pm-5:00 pm *Countering the Threat of Catastrophic Terrorism*
Lewis Branscomb, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard
University

TUESDAY, JUNE 10

- 7:30 am-8:00 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am-9:00 am *The Emerging Role of the Private Sector in Atmospheric Policy*
Presentations by entrepreneurs who have founded commercial
weather service ventures, followed by discussion.

Hiroyoshi Ishibashi, Chairman and CEO, WeatherNews
- 9:00 am-9:30 am Break
- 9:30 am-12:00 pm Session Continued
Mike Mader, Raytheon/Jim Goodrich, Grumman
John Cunningham NOAA *Elements of major systems*
procurements and source selection
- 12:00 pm-1:00 pm Lunch
- 1:00 pm-4:00 pm
- Participant Feedback Session*
Final Logistics; Concluding Remarks
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